

IF IT HAPPENS
IT'S HERE

NOTABLE FRAUDS OF PRIZE RING

Instances Where Public Is Badly
Fleeced by Men Who Handle
Fighting Game.

TOP-NOTCHERS WHO FAKED

JOE GANS' CONFESSION RECALLS
OTHER KNOWN FRAME-UPS.

Morris Levy claims that no one in California ever bet on Joe Gans and lost money by so doing, but the fact remains that everybody who has heard of his previous mixups will be wary about risking money on future affairs in which Gans is one of the principals. Levy expresses himself thus: "You can't jump on Gans for crooked work as long as he won. The man who loses is to blame. He is the one who has betrayed the trust of his friends. Britt is the faker who should be roasted, while Gans is only the man who won." When fakers fall out, they sometimes put the public wise, and the Gans-Britt fiasco recalls some of the celebrated bunco games handed the public in former years.

In the first place the indignation of J. Edward Britt is somewhat surprising when his battle with Young Corbett is remembered, for there were many at the ringside who, while no affidavits were forthcoming, spoke right out in meeting with the expression that Corbett was robbed of that battle by Britt and the men in charge of the ring.

Some Professional New Tricks.

There are other celebrated fakes on the tapis. One is the story of how Fitzsimmons laid down to Jim Hall in the antipodes, in 1890. Sporting men do not blame the Cornishman for this, as he knew no better at the time and only did as his boss, Jim Mace, told him. Fitz showed three years later in this country how easily he could have defeated Hall by putting him on the mat in four easy rounds.

In 1886 Fitzsimmons was the victim of a fake in which even his opponent had no part, when, after beating Tom Sharkey in eight rounds, Wyatt Earp, gun fighter and gambler, gave the fight to the sailor on a foul. In 1900, the last of the Horton law, several fakes were exposed. In the Marlborough Athletic club Joe Walcott ripped into Tommy West during the first ten rounds of a fight. The money had gone down on West, however, and in the eleventh Walcott was given orders to quit. He went down and declined to wake up. West was not a party to the deal and was as much surprised as the men who placed their simoleons on the "Demon."

McCoy and Jim Corbett.

"The same year Kid McCoy and Jim Corbett made tentative passes at each other for five rounds," McCoy, however, tired, sat down and could not be encouraged to carry on the exhibition. That was a raw one.

The same year at the Broadway Athletic club it was hinted that Gans had Frank Ernie at his mercy until he lost interest in the game in the twelfth round.

About the same time a bunch of money was laid on Andy Walsh to beat Jimmy Handier. Handier had a pocketful of the tickets and dozed off in the second round.

Wrangle at Coney Island.

New Year's day Kid McCoy and Peter Maher met for twenty-five rounds before the Coney Island Athletic club. The fighters had been guaranteed a purse of \$20,000. The night was cold and there was only \$16,000 in the draughty old barn where the rub was to be held. It is alleged that a frame was put up for Maher to win, but McCoy was to get the big end and he put up a yelp for the \$20,000.

"You have the money," said McCoy to Brady, who had guaranteed the purse. "Put up the other \$4,000 and I'll go on." Brady refused, and with \$16,000 worth of spectators howling to keep warm a wrangle ensued. At last Brady induced McCoy to enter the ring. It is hard to say what Maher thought about it, for he had been told that the Kid was to lie down. Instead McCoy did for him neatly and scientifically in five rounds. What would have been the outcome had the other \$4,000 been in the house? Tom O'Rourke has been quoted as

BOSTON SHOW BREAKS RECORD

Figures Show Greater Attendance
Than at Any Other Automobile
Exhibit Ever Held.

BIG INCREASE IN SALES

A M E R I C A N M A N U F A C T U R E R S
C O N T R O L H O M E B U S I N E S S.

1905 Automobile Statistics.
+ Automobiles built in United States 27,840 +
+ Automobiles sold in United States 22,970 +
+ Aggregate price of sales \$39,100,000 +
+ Automobiles imported 1,036 +
+ Appraised value of latter \$4,150,000 +
+ Aggregate sales of latter \$6,700,000 +
+ Grand total sales in year 23,996 +
+ Grand aggregate selling price \$45,800,000 +
+ Average selling price per car 1,780 +
+ Average selling price of foreign cars 6,700 +
+ Total cars sold under license 17,540 +
+ Den patent license 17,540 +

Boston, March 17.—The Boston auto show this week is breaking all kinds of records. The official attendance figures given out tonight indicate that the number attending before the close of the exhibition will exceed that of any previous auto show in America. The value of the machines and accessories on show is in excess of \$2,000,000.

Eastern experts have just gathered from authoritative sources practically the first authentic information concerning the volume and value of the automobile business in the United States.

There have been numerous estimates of the machines manufactured, imported and sold in this country, but most of these have been wide of the mark. The output from American factories has been generally figured anywhere from 30,000 to 50,000. An estimate in The Herald several months ago placed it at 29,000. The exact number proves it to have been 27,840. There are records of the sales of 22,970 of these, leaving 4,870 in the factories or in the hands of agents at the beginning of the year.

Of the automobiles sold 17,540 were licensed under the Selden patent, and their gross selling price was \$31,814,756. Machines sold without licenses numbered only 5,136, of a gross selling price of \$7,285,242, making an aggregate selling price of American automobiles of \$39,100,000.

Importation Statistics.

The total number of domestic and foreign cars during the year was 23,996 of an aggregate selling price of \$45,800,000. Automobiles imported for the twelve months totalled 1,036, of an aggregate selling price of \$6,700,000. The growth in the importation of automobiles is notable. In 1902 the number brought in was 375, of a total appraised value of \$1,300,000. In 1904 the number was 602, of an appraised value of \$2,208,492. The appraised value of the importations last year was \$2,150,000.

Detailed statistics of automobiles manufactured and sold under license to the Selden basic patent is furnished by the sworn testimony in the United States circuit court by M. J. Budlong, president of the Electric Vehicle company, plaintiff in Selden patent litigation now progressing. The figures sworn to by Mr. Budlong were furnished by manufacturers in depositions under oath.

This testimony shows that in three years, from Jan. 1, 1903, to Jan. 1, 1906, the total number of domestic automobiles manufactured and sold under license was 41,645, of a gross value of \$58,742,907, upon which \$739,139 was paid in royalties. In the same period 653 foreign cars were sold under license, of a gross value of \$4,398,529, upon which \$75,048 was paid in royalties. In three years the total sales under license were 49,096, the total value being \$63,141,476, saying that he had to the Joe Walcott's hands when he fought Philadelphia Jack O'Brien in Philadelphia in 1902.

There may have been a few other fakes scattered in between, but these landed the big money.



WILBUR PRICE,
Salt Lake Bowler, Who Won Western Bowling Championship at Recent
Tournament of W. B. C.

PROVO BASKET BALL LEAGUE

Schools Organize Teams and
Will Play Series of Games
for City Championship.

(Special to The Herald.)

Provo, March 17.—The four city schools have organized a basket ball league, twelve by the boys and twelve by the girls, to decide the city championship. Next week, Thursday, March 22, the Parker girls team will meet the Maeser team on the Parker grounds; and the Franklin girls will meet the Timpanogos girls on the Franklin field on Friday the 23d. The Franklin boys will play the Maeser boys on the Franklin grounds, and the Parker and Timpanogos team will play on the Parker field. The games will be officiated by University players and will begin at 4 o'clock each afternoon.

The County High school track and field team will have their meet at Payson about May 18.

BARRY AND SCHRECK WILL FIGHT AGAIN

Chicago, March 17.—Dave Barry, who came east with Jack Curley from San Francisco, will fight his first battle in this part of the country March 23. He will have as an opponent Mike Schreck of Cincinnati. The bout will come off in Terre Haute, Ind., under the auspices of the Wabash Athletic club, and the contestants have agreed to weigh in at 165 pounds at 3 o'clock. George Siler will referee.

and the total amount paid in royalties to the Selden licensors being \$814,183.52.

Steady Growth of Sales.

The increase of production in 1904 over 1903 was 30 per cent, and the increase in the value of the gross sales was 58 per cent. The increase of production in 1905 was 22 per cent, and the increase in sales was 66 per cent. Mr. Budlong's testimony furnished interesting figures in the gradual increase in selling price of licensed automobiles. In 1902 the average selling price was \$1,170, in 1904 it was \$1,422, and in 1905 it was \$1,780. For the three years the average selling price of American automobiles was \$1,429, and that of imported cars was \$6,710.

The increase in selling price is claimed to be much less in proportion to the increase in cost of production. Better material is used than formerly at almost double the cost, skilled labor has gone up in price, while machine work has become more thorough and more expensive. The material used in American automobiles is declared to be equal to any in the world, and the prediction is made by American manufacturers that in 1907 the American industry will lead the world in excellence as well as in volume.

BOWLERS OF EAST BEGIN TOURNEY

Louisville Mayor Does Not Strike as
Did Mayor Thompson at
Western Congress.

SUNDAY BOWLING CUT OUT

O'LEARY DELEGATION FROM
CHICAGO BRINGS BAND.

Louisville, March 17.—In the presence of 3,000 people Acting Mayor Owen Tyler tonight sent the first ball bowled in the annual tournament of the American Bowling congress spinning down the alley in the armory, and a roar of cheers greeted his effort when he finished the performance with a neat "spare." A more auspicious opening never marked an annual tournament of the congress, the crowd gradually increasing as the evening wore on until all the available space in the huge Jefferson county armory was filled.

The unanimous opinion of the visiting bowlers was that the equipment of the alleys and accommodations for contestants and visitors was the best in the history of the congress.

The exercises preceding the opening of play were brief and informal, Acting Mayor Tyler, on behalf of the city, and Secretary of State H. V. McChesney, for the state, welcoming the visitors. The response was made by J. H. Haeger, president of the congress.

Two Strikes in First Frames.

The first balls rolled in actual play were shot down the alleys simultaneously and strikes were made on two of the alleys by members of the Ogeola and Haeger No. 3 teams, both of Louisville.

Play had barely started when it was suspended for the purpose of welcoming the O'Leary delegation, comprising three teams and one hundred and fifty visitors, headed by a band and drum corps. The Chicago men arrived on a special train only a short time before their hour to begin bowling in the tournament.

Owing to action by the civic league and the Jefferson county federal court, there will be no liquor sold at the armory and no Sunday bowling. The only event on the programme for tomorrow, aside of social diversion for the visitors, will be a banquet given in honor of the officers of the congress by President Haeger.

The Philadelphia delegation spent a busy day working for Al Baltz for president of the congress, and tonight claimed to have enough votes pledged to elect him. St. Louis delegates were equally sanguine as to the prospect of securing the next meeting of the congress for their city.

The first business session of the congress will be held Monday.

OGDEN BOWLING RESUMES.

Lund Now Leads League With an
Average of 168.

Ogden, March 17.—With the close of the Western Bowling congress in Salt Lake, bowling was again resumed in Ogden, with increased interest. Some good work was done in the city league but the standing of the players was not changed materially. Lund still heads the list and gives promise of remaining there until the middle of the season. Hess is a close second, with four men tied for third, and as many for fourth place, making the race a pretty one. The individual standing to date is as follows:

Name	Games	Aver.
Lund	72	168
Hess	63	162
Wilson	60	161
Watkins	57	161
Miller	54	161
G. Scudder	48	160
Rushmer	54	158
Baxter	45	158
Bartlett	42	158
L. Taylor	27	158
Driggs	45	157
Leedom	37	156
P. Herrick	26	155
Baker	24	155
Flygare	45	155
F. Scudder	36	155
Bowman	24	155
W. Herrick	74	155
Thomas	54	155
Camp	45	155
Craven	27	154
Smelser	27	152
Wherry	31	152
Seager	31	151
Nye	27	151

WHERE SOCKER GAME'S KING

Thousands Attend Association
Football Series for Fam-
ous English Cup.

By John Morgan.

As there are several hundred "sports" from the "auld country" on this interesting mountain section, there is no doubt but that same news as to the progress of the contest for possession of the world famous English cup may prove interesting. This season, owing to the increased number of exempted clubs from the preliminary stages it will be necessary to play a fourth round before arriving at the semi-final stage. News of the first round is at hand, bringing with it some well high sensational results. The most astonishing result was the severe defeat of Aston Villa, the cup holder, by Manchester United, a second division organization, by 5 to 1; also the crushing defeat administered to Middlesbrough, another first division league team by Southampton, a southern league club, by 6 goals to 1.

In all eight matches were played, seven won outright and one resulting in a draw. The drawn game was re-played during mid week and on all the nine contests, including the re-played tie, attracted an aggregate of over 235,000 or close on an average of 26,000, showing the wonderful popularity of "socker" across the pond. So great was the excitement and enthusiasm in Manchester that notwithstanding rain and sleet over 40,000 were packed on the enclosure forty-five minutes before the scheduled time to kick off, and long before game was commenced the gates were shut by the authorities. All available spaces being packed and several thousands of "drenched" but nevertheless enthusiastic would-be spectators were turned away from the match following the Football association met and below is the result of the draw for round No. 4, to be played on ground of first named club:

Draw for Third Round.

Manchester United vs. Woolwich Arsenal.

Birmingham vs. Newcastle United (runners up).

Everton vs. Sheffield, Wednesday.

Liverpool vs. Southampton.

One peculiar feature of the contest is the luck of the two Liverpool clubs, Everton and Liverpool, as neither so far has been drawn from home and neither until the present round have been drawn against first league clubs. The result of the first "socker" international for the present season has come to hand and has resulted in another injustice to poor "ould Ireland." England as usual under "socker" rules, defeated Ireland at Belfast by 6 goals to 0.

PUG TURNS THUG AND GOES TO PRISON

Columbus, O., March 17.—Judge Dillon today sentenced Frankie McHugh, formerly feather-weight champion of Ohio, to four years in the penitentiary for knocking down W. A. Watkins of Pittsburgh, while on the streets here and robbing him of \$1,200. McHugh was assisted by four other men who received light sentences.

QUITS WITH CLEAN RECORD

Provo Wins Final Basket Ball
Game Against Logan by
Score of 20 to 19.

THIS IS DR. SLICER'S TALE

BUT PHIL DWYER SAYS NO DEAL
IS ON WITH CLERGYMEN.

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"The agreement will have the effect of restricting betting at the racetrack and abolishing pools. Of course persons will still be able to make bets over the telephone and settle the wagers by the newspaper odds the next day."

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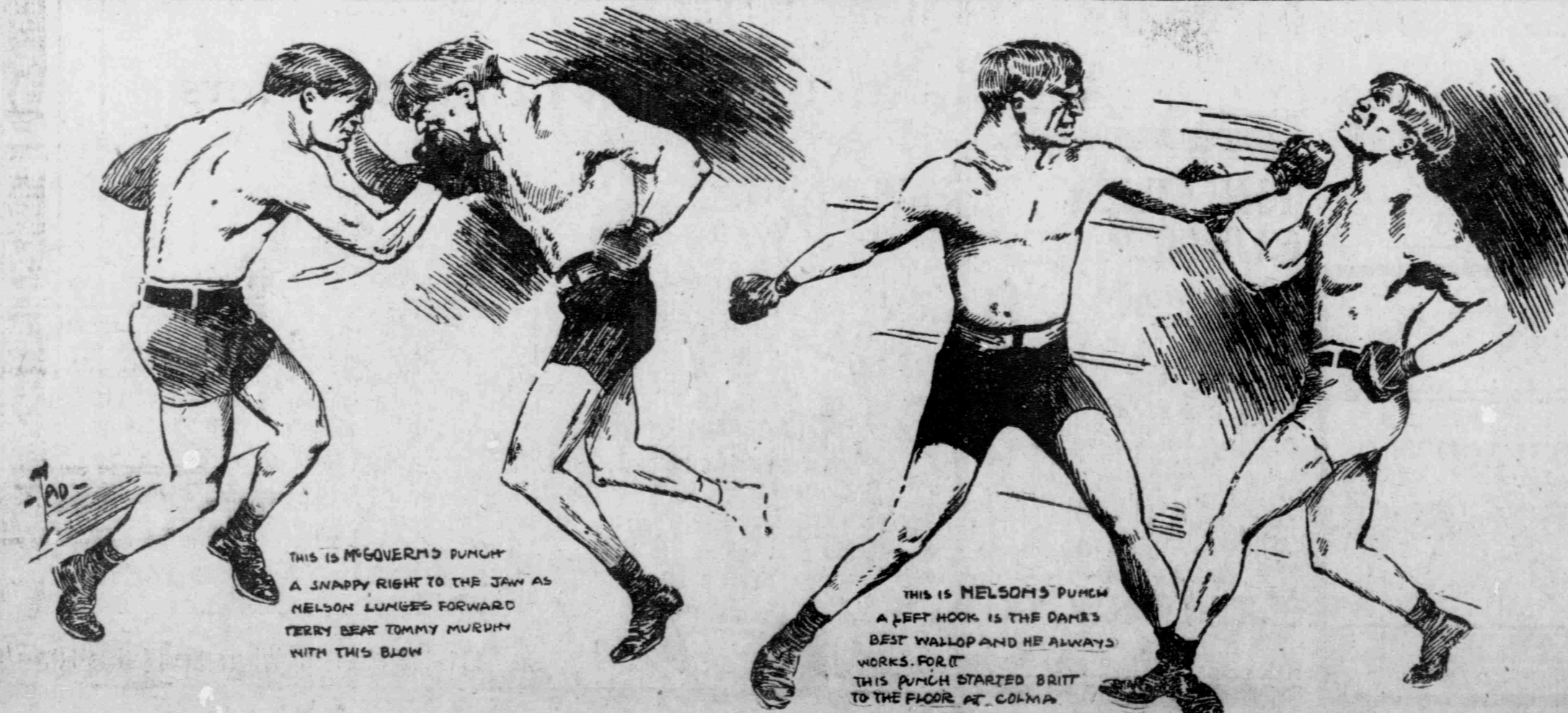
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